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PATENT APPLICATION

Attorney Docket No. 21402-163 (CURA-463)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR OR  
APPLICATION IDENTIFIER: Kekuda et al.

FOR: NOVEL GPCR-LIKE PROTEIN AND NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING SAME  
Box PATENT APPLICATION  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR FILING A NEW NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

1. This is a request for filing a new nonprovisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b).

This application claims priority to USSN 60/240,704 filed October 16, 2000; USSN 60,262,159 filed January 17, 2001; USSN 60/263,340 filed January 22, 2001; USSN 60/264,118 filed January 25, 2001; USSN 60/308,203 filed July 27, 2001; USSN 60/243,497 filed October 26, 2000; USSN 60/244,542 filed October 31, 2000; USSN 289,031 filed February 15, 2001; USSN 60/245,484 filed November 3, 2000; USSN 60/255,017 filed December 12, 2000; USSN 60/263,216 filed January 22, 2001 and USSN 60/268, 225 filed February 2, 2001.

2. Specification (Total pages: 318);  
Specification (308 pgs); Claims (9 pages); Abstract (1 pg.)
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney, unexecuted (8 pgs.)
4. Fee Calculation

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$740.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	52	- 20 =	32	\$ 18.00	\$576.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	6	- 3 =	3	\$84.00	\$252.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))				\$280.00	
SUBTOTAL:					\$1,568.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:					- \$00
TOTAL FEE:					\$1,568.00

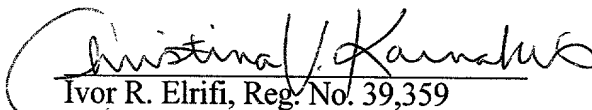
5. Check #10566 in the amount of \$1,568.00 is enclosed.

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6. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 21402-163 (CURA-463). A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.
7. Return Receipt Postcard Enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 16, 2001

  
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